

Living in a low population area, one would expect that I would have low interference. However the unshielded power lines of a rural power system produce enough interference. BPL added to the present noise of the unshielded powerlines would nearly eliminate any HF radio operation on some HAM bands. Being an emergency ham radio operator, this interference would cripple my ability and others to operate, should an emergency of any kind confront our area or anywhere in the country, for that matter. B.Smith WD5HXB/ARES/RACES